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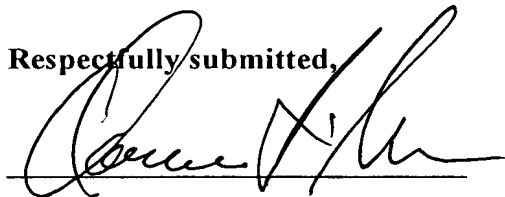
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The above-identified patent application has a corresponding PCT International Patent Application No. PCT/FI 01/00412 filed 30 April 2001. Applicants' attorney encloses a copy of a PCT International Search Report issued on the corresponding PCT International Patent Application No. PCT/FI 01/00412. The Search Report cited PCT International Publication Nos. WO 99/66746 A2, WO 98/19438 A1, and

ETSI TS 123 140, V3.0.1. (2000-03), "Universal Mobile Telecommunications System (UMTS); Multimedia Messaging Service (MMS), Functional Description; Stage 2," (3G TS 23.140 version 3.0.1. Release 1999), pages 27. PCT International Publication Nos. WO 99/66746 A2 and WO 98/19438 A1 were previously cited on the Information Disclosure Statement for this application, and the copies were provided to the Examiner. As such, further copies of these documents are not enclosed.

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